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GOLD AND SILVER IN THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS.

M'Taggart, in his three years in Canada, published in London in 1829, states that in 1825 or 1826, both silver and gold were found in the Rocky Mountains. In the year 1826, M'Taggart met at Laprairie a respectable young man, who had just returned from a distant excursion in the fur trade; from whom he received an account of his journey, and embodied it in the shape of a letter for the information of a friend. In that letter we read (vol. 1, pages 59 and 60):—"After considerable travel and fatigue, we came upon the Rocky Mountains, *alias* the backbone of America; and here, as you may expect, all my mineralogical science was brought into full request. My bag is full of the rarest specimens, and, what will astonish the sons of Mammon, I have both gold and silver ores. In fact, I conceive these mountains to be much more valuable than the Indies." In what part of the Rocky Mountains these specimens were found the letter does not state; but as the fur trade came by way of Lake Winnipeg, there can be no doubt that it was within British territory. The great fork of Fraser's River, on which gold is now being collected, traverses the Rocky Mountains, in the centre of which is Moose Lake. The statement published by M'Taggart, taken in connection with the recent gold discoveries on Fraser's river, renders it probable that the gold found in the bed of the stream is washed down from the Rocky Mountains. Should this turn out to be the case, a great impetus will be given to settlement in the valley of the Saskatshewan. The young fur-trader from whom M'Taggart derived his information had some pretensions to a knowledge of mineralogical science, and was not, therefore, likely to be deceived as to his specimens of gold and silver ores. It is not probable that the two ores were found side by side; but, for anything that appears to the contrary, they may have been found in places widely distant from one another. The question of the existence of these metals, or either of them, in the Rocky Mountains is likely soon to be decided. An American exploring expedition has gone from the east, and the practical gold-hunters on Fraser's river, are sure, in time, to work their way to its source. By these means the existence or non existence of the precious metals, at two different points in the Rocky Mountains, is likely soon to be determined. The result will have an important effect on the settlement of the prairies east of the mountains. —*Toronto Leader.*

Our Navy 200 Years Ago.—Hans Busk, in his "Navies of the World," says: In the year 1641, the navy of England consisted of 42 ships, the aggregate tonnage of which was 22,411 tons. In 1858, Scott Russell launched one vessel—the Great Eastern—of 22,500 tons, of greater burthen by 89 tons than the whole British fleet two hundred years ago.

Population of Russia.—According to the tables prepared by the Central Committee of St. Petersburg, on statistics, created by a ukase in March last, the largest province is Yakootsk, with 1,500,000 square miles; the smallest, Kootais, 4,200. The poulation of Russia is set down at 71,500,000, not including the mountaineers of the Caucasus, or the foreigners in the American possessions In the year 1856, there were 2,716,866 births, and 2,146,892 deaths—an increase of of 559,974 souls. In all Russia there are 8,227 schools, with 450,000 scholars, or seven-tenths per cent. of the whole population.

Slave Emancipation.—The St. Louis correspondent of the Bulletin says that Miss Bates, sister to the Hon. Edward Bates, of St. Louis, recently emancipated the last of 32 slaves, who formed part of her inheritance, and whom she has gradually set free as they became prepared to take care of themselves in freedom. Judge Bates emancipated the last of his slaves several years since.

☞ Between American ports on the Lakes and Great Britain, a brisk trade is sprining up. The Cnadian papers represent that, though in its infancy, this trade last year amounted to $250,000. One firm in Detroit, in eight weeks, loaded and sent off to different British ports, ten ships.

☞ It is said that the opposition steamers running between San Francisco and New York will be taken off after the first of October. Vanderbilt has again been bought off by the Pacific Steamship monopoly. The Tehuantepec route is also to be closed for want of support.

☞ Notwithstanding the public declaration of President Buchanan, that he will not be a candidate for re-election, it is believed by many he will come before the Charleston Convention to take his chances for the nomination.

Costa Rica.—The Costa Rican Congress has passed a law exempting Englishmen born in Costa Rica from military duty, provided the same exemption is made in favor of Costa Ricans in England.

☞ In California they are agitating the building of a Railroad from San Francisco to the eastern boundary of the State.

State Fair.—The State Agricultural Fair of California met at Sacramento on the 13th inst.

Potatoe Rot.—Late advices from New Brunswick report the serious effects of the potatoe rot throughout the province.

☞ In both New Brunswick and Nova Scotia the formation of valunteer rifle companies is the rage.

☞ Victoria Bridge, the Canadian papers say, will be open for traffic in October.

☞ Twenty thousand persons visited the Niagara Suspension Bridge on the 4th of July, to witness Mr. Blondin's exploit of walking the rope over the river, blindfolded.

The mammoth steamship *Great Eastern* was by terms of contract to be ready for sea by the last of September, inst.

☞ Don. E. Sickles is again living with his wife.

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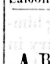

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Victoria, Aug. 16, 1859.

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Single Copies, 25 cents or $1.50 per dozen.

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A. DE COSMOS,.....EDITOR.

VICTORIA, V. I.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 21.

STATE CHURCH.

We publish to-day an important document, the agreement between the Church and the Colony. It appears that the Rev. Mr. Cridge got originally £400 a year besides his glebe. That, subsequently, not proving a paying transaction the glebe was returned to the Colony in consideration of £100 a year, thereby raising his salary to £500. It is as clear as can be from the agreement that the Colony is not bound to renew it, although the Speaker contended yesterday that the chaplaincy was permanent. Whether his pertinacity in maintaining that opinion was to avoid charging the expenses of passage home to the H. B. Company, or fix the church on the Colony, we cannot say. But it certainly appears strange that the end of an agreement so clearly defined, should be declared perpetual by the Speaker. If it was not ended, why did Mr. Cridge tender his services? Why ask a renewal of the agreement? Certainly he knew the terms on which he was engaged? And then if it was permanent, why did his Excellency ask the opinion of the House?. Nothing can be plainer than that the agreement has ended. The important question now, is not to renew it. Take the £400 or £500 a year and apply it to educational purposes, and let the Church be supported by voluntary contribution. The odious principle of taking £500 a year from the land fund must be abolished. If the Colonial Secretary desires a church establishment here, we hope to see the funds derived from Imperial sources, and not from the casual or territorial revenue of this colony. And although the Assembly may not control the land funds, still as that fund is designed only for the benefit of the colony, that body should be careful that it is not diverted to uses which, under present circumstances, will leave no visible or corresponding results.

A MAN FOR THE OCCASION.—Our well known citizen, Mr. John Butts, not a barrister, but a bell-ringer, intends to issue shortly an address to the electors of Victoria. A decent respect for the usages of society prevents him from announcing himself now as ready to serve his country in the Assembly; particularly as the Franchise Bill is not passed. Having an intimate knowledge of government, being no puttyhead, and withal, having accumulated considerable money, he is no "man of straw;" and hence fully believing that this constituency has common sense enough to canvass the merits of all the candidates, he hopes to successfully oppose both the learned gentlemen now in the field.

☞ Mr. Lowell, str Julia, which arrived yesterday, has favored us with Puget Sound *Herald*. In it is published Gen. Harney's reply to Gov. Douglas, dated August 24. He denies that the complaints were made to him, previous to being here, of outrages against Americans. That there is nothing in His Excellency's communication to guarantee prevention from similar outrages for the future. That he will preserve the rights of the British on the island, but will not withdraw the troops till ordered by the President.

SOLD.—From the *Pioneer and Democrat* we learn that the Steamship *Constitution*, was sold for $9,000. She was purchased by the California Steam Navigation Company.

FRANCHISE.

The Council Franchise Bill, laid before the Assembly yesterday, makes the following qualifications for voters: Lawyers and Physicians with a diploma from any chartered college in Great Britain or the colonies; or lawyers qualified to practice. (Graduates of Universities are not allowed as in the former bill). Occupation for a year prior to election of real estate at a rental of £20 per year. Possessison in his own right for six months prior to election (the former bill was three months) of 20 or more acres of land "held for an estate of freehold." A beneficial estate of the marketable value of £100. One-fourth of the profits of a farm, 20 acres cleared, held by a person actually in charge, for 12 months prior to election. Persons qualified as above may cast one vote for each member. If a party has a qualification in several districts he has a vote in each. All voters are disqualified who have taken an oath of allegiance to a foreign power, except three months previous to election he takes an oath of allegiance before the Chief Justice. Also all persons disqualified in Great Britain are here, (what does this mean?) Lawyers and physicians, or graduates, (no graduates are qualified?) shall vote where they reside. Those qualified by occupation or possession of real estate to vote where they reside. Members are qualified by residing in the Colony three months, and owning freehold property to the value of £300. Men are disqualified who have taken an oath of allegiance to a foreign power, except six months previous to election they swear back before the Chief Justice. Ministers are also disqualified;—For the same reason we presume,—the Council considering Heaven a foreign country. This bill is entirely too illiberal. It is unjust in many points. For instance lawyers and doctors are allowed to vote without any time being fixed for residence in the country. Whilst the honest and industrious farmer, mechanic, or trader, have to occupy, possess, or have a freehold from six months to a year prior. Certainly the Attorney General of British Columbia, has served the farmers, mechanics and traders, whom he now asks for their votes, with the rankest injustice! He professes to be a reformer? He aided in making this bill, to let lawyers vote as soon as they land on shore, but the hardy producer must be disfranchised. Such is the illiberal and unfair nature of this bill, that study has been made to place the election entirely in the hands of the H. B. Company. It is a foul wrong on the community. And every man who has a bona fide interest in the country should demand the passage of a bill which will give a fair and honest expression of public opinion at the polls. Remember that "he who would be free, himself must strike the blow."

MUSHROOMS.—Were we to judge from the number of candidates in the field, commencing with George Hunter Cary, Attorney General, and ending with George John Wight, Solicitor, who have both placarded the streets,—we would be inclined to the opinion that this was the mushroom season.

☞ The Otter arrived yesterday from New Westminster with about 25 passengers. Several miners were going home with from $700 to $1700. The Col. Moody ran aground on Harrison river. $5000 are to be expended in grading streets at New Westminster. The news is tolerably encouraging. The Eliza Anderson brought down about 30 passengers.

QUICK WORK.—The bark Ork came into port on Sunday, 17th inst., discharged on Monday the 18th, and sailed the same day.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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THIS DAY,

Wednesday, Sept. 12, at 11 o'clock A. M.,

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20 bbls S. I. Sugar;
5 bbls Loaf Sugar;
10 chests fine Black Tea;
100 bags Bayos Beans;
100 bags white Beans;
100 bags Red Beans;
10 firkins first quality Butter;
40 mats China Rice;
50 mats Batavia Rice;
10 bbls Hams and Shoulders;
20 reams Wrapping Paper;
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200 sacks Bran;
156 bales best California Oaten Hay;
50 bbls Haxall Flour;
25 baskets Champagne;
60 cks Ind. and Cope's Pale Ale, 6 doz qts;
26 do do do do 8 doz pts;
20 casks Byass' Pale Ale, 8 doz pts;
Oregon Cider in casks and bottles;
Oregon Flour in quarter sacks.
100 sacks Beans;
50 sacks Batavia Rice.

For sale in lots to suit.
se21-7t SOUTHGATE & MITCHELL.

To Salt Spring Island Settlers.

THE TWENTY-NINE Parties whose names were on the FIRST LIST, are requested to cal; on the undersigned—pay for their survey—and get their names marked on the Plan, on or before SATURDAY NEXT, as those who have since received permission from the Colonial Surveyor will then proceed to choose their lots, from such as may remain on the Survey.
JOHN COPLAND,
se21-3t Yates street.

NOTICE.—I hereby give notice that unless a Brindle COW, without mark or brand, that has been on my farm at Gonzalez for the last month or more, be not claimed, I will cause it to be sold by public auction to pay damages done my crops, and other expenses, within ten days.
se21-* W. McNEIL.

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AND NOW LANDING, EX BARK "SEA NYMPH," from Hongkong:
400 mats No 1 China sugar;
100 chests fine Black Teas;
82 flags No 1 Manilla Coffee;
40 Rattan Chairs;
10 Bamboo Extension Chairs;
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30 cases Chinese Preserves, assorted;
2 cases Chinese Fire Crackers;
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se19-1m

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THE UNDERSIGNED BEG LEAVE TO notify Merchants, Ship Owners and Ship Masters, that they have received the appointment as Agent at Victoria, Vancouver's Island, for the Liverpool Underwriters Association. JANION & GREEN.
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MESSAGE TO THE ASSEMBLY.

SEPT. 10, 1855.

I have to submit for your consideration with the sanction of Her Majesty's principal Secretary of State for the colonies, the copy of a communication from the Rev. E. Cridge Colonial Chaplain of Vancouver's Island tendering a continuance of his services in that capacity and I have to request that the House will favor me with their opinion on the subject.

JAMES DOUGLAS.

MEMORANDUM OF SALARY ALLOWANCE, &c., FOR A CLERGYMAN FOR VANCOUVER ISLAND.

The Hudson's Bay Company are desirous of sending out a clergyman to Vancouver's Island, to be stationed in the vicinity of Victoria, the principal establishment in the Island. He will have charge of a district or Parish and in addition will hold the appointment of Chaplain of the Hudson Bay Company, and will attend to the spiritual wants of the free settlers, and of the officers clerks and servants of the H. B. Company stationed at Fort Victoria, and at the various farms in the neighborhood.

The church is in progress of construction, in the vicinity of the Fort, and will probably be completed by the time the clergyman may be expected to arrive at the island The H. B. Company propose that the remuneration for these services shall consist first of a parsonage and glebe of 100 acres; of which 30 acres will be cleared and put into a cultivable state; secondly of a stipend of £300 per annum charged with the sanction of the Colonial office, on the fund arising from the sales of land. Of which fund the H. B. Company are trustees &c. thirdly, of an allowance of £100 per annum from the fur trade branch of the Company for acting as chaplain to the Company, and attending to the wants of the servants.

Until the house is finished, quarters will be provided for the clergyman in the fort. And till the land is put into a proper state for cultivation, rations will be allowed to him and his family as provided for the officers of the Company. When the land is taken possession of by him, he will be expected to provide for himself.

The Company think it very desirable that the clergyman should, as is done at Red River by the Bishop of Ruport's Land, take charge of a boarding-school of a superior class, for the children of their officers, and would wish that he would take out with him a gentleman and his wife capable of keeping a school of this nature.

The Fur trade branch would find a school house and residence for the master and his family, and will vote an annual grant of £100 in aid of the school. Should they give satisfaction to the gentlemen in the country, they might expect from 30 or 40 pupils, and the usual payment for each pupil would be £20 per annum for board, lodging, and education.

A free passage will be allowed from London to Vancouver Island to the clergyman, his family and servants, and also to the schoolmaster and his family.

It is to be understoad that the engagement shall be for five years; at the expiration of which a free passage home will be granted should the clergyman wish to return; *or, on the contrary, a fresh engagement may be entered into.* It is also to be understood that in the event of misconduct, the engagement may at any time be cancelled on the recommendation of the Governor of Vancouver Island, and with the sanction of the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

(signed) A. COLVILLE.
Hudson's Bay House, London) Aug. 12, 1854. } Governor.

I hereby accept the terms and conditions as specified in the foregoing memorandum,

(signed) EDWARD CRIDGE.
Sept. 13, 1854.

Land Office, Victoria, September 19, 1859.

To John Copland, Esq.

SIR,—In reply to your letter to me, dated Aug. 30th, 1859. I beg to inform you that as there are still unoccupied tracts of good land on Salt Spring Island, advantages similar to those mentioned in my letter to you of July 26th, will be extended to the list of persons, 32 in number, whose names are hereto annexed. I have, &c.,

JOSEPH D. PEMBERTON.
Colonial Surveyor

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

TUESDAY, 11 o'clock A. M.

Several messages from the Governor, reported in our last issue, were read. The Usury bill passed a final reading: it is the English law. Mr. Yates moved that a Select Committee be appointed to inquire into the expenditure of moneys appropriated by the House for two bridges in Victoria and for Esquimalt road. He said that since notice was given of his motion the work had been re-commenced. Perhaps the Surveyor-General could enlighten the House as to where the funds came from? Mr. Pemberton replied that the Treasurer had advanced the funds. Mr. Skinner supported the motion. Passed, and Messrs. Yates, Skinner and McKay were appointed the Select Committee.

Three Council bills were read in relation to the Franchise. One defining the election districts and the number of representatives, another the qualification of members of Assembly; and another for the registration of voters. To be read a second time on Friday. Mr. Skinner preferred Tuesday, as he did not want a bill smuggled through the House.

The House went into committee of the whole on the message of his Excellency asking their opinion in relation to the re-appointment of the Rev. Mr. Cridge as Colonial Chaplain. A long discussion occurred, in which the Speaker maintained that the appointment of Mr. Cridge was a permanent one; and that he was entitled to a salary till such time as the connection between church and state was abolished.—That the House should convey this opinion to his Excellency, with another resolution that as the election was near it was advisable to leave the final settlement of the church question to the new Assembly. Strenuous objections were made by Messrs. Yates, Skinner, Pemberton and McKay, to acknowledging that his appointment was a permanent one. Mr. McKay read the memorandum of agreement, (published in another part of this paper,) and said that if what the Speaker said was true then Mr. Cridge had made a mistake by tendering his services as Colonial Chaplain. After a useless waste of time, the following resolution in reply was adopted, the Speaker dissenting:

Resolved, This House is of opinion that by the memorandum of agreement, dated 12th Aug. 1854, the Rev. Mr Cridge was evidently led to expect a renewal of his engagement contingent on faithful service; but the House would recommend the propriety of deferring the consideration of State and Church connection until the House is enlarged, and the sentiments of the people can be better understood.

The House then resumed its sitting, when the report of committee was adopted.

Mr. Skinner inquired as regards the tracings of the public lands, ordered by the House some time ago. Mr. Pemberton replied that owing to a reduction of the surveying staff that it had not been done; but would be in a short time.

House adjourned till Friday at 11 A. M.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, V.I.

ARRIVALS.

Sept. 19—Bark Ork, Trask, San Francisco.
Bark D M Hall, Calhoun, San Francisco.
Bark N S Perkins, Ritchie, San Francisco.
Schr Ann Smith, Coe, Camano island.
Schr Victoria Packet, Cole, Nanaimo.
Schr Thames, Hewit, Nanaimo.
Schr Eclipse, Barrington, Port Townsend.
Schr Flying Mist, Berry, Port Townsend.
Schr Kossuth, Foster, Port Townsend.
Sloop Comet, Butler, San Juan.

Sept. 20—Schr Langley, Dolbeit, Nanaimo.
Schr Nanaimo Packet, Walker, Nanaimo.
Sloop Victoria, Cusick, San Juan.
Stmr Julia, Bushnell, Port Townsend.
Stmr Eliza Anderson, Wells, New Westminster.
Stmr Otter, Monat, New Westminster.

CLEARANCES.

Sept. 19—Sloop P J Evans, Tucker, San Juan.
Schr Carolena, Jones, Port Townsend.
Sloop Colombo, Stevens, Sooke.
Sloop Comet, Butler, San Juan.

Sept. 20—Sloop Victoria, Cusick, San Juan.
Stmr Julia, Bushnell, Port Townsend.
Schr Amelia, Thornton, Port Townsend.

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50 bbls Alcohol;
50 casks American Brandy;
25 hhds Allsopp & Son,s Burton Ale;
50 bbls Oregon Cider;
150 cases Swain and Boord's Old Tom;
300 cases London Dock Cognac Brandy;
20 cases London Club House Gin;
50 " Wolfe's Schnapps;
100 cs V. H. & Co. Anchor Holland Gin
50 " Absinthe Suisse;
50 " Vermouth Rivoire;
50 " Scotch Whiskey, Rob't Thin;
150 cases Claret Wine;
50 " John Durand Haut Sauterne;
10 bbls D. Gordon Sherry Wine;
10 " Crown Port Wine;
25 baskets Heidsick Champagne;
10 " Heidsick Champagne, pints;
25 cases Rosenbaum's Bitters;
25 " Hostetter's Bitters;
15 " Turner's Forest Wine Bitters;
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"Now, here," said one, "here, doctor, is some good old hock; surely you can't decline this?"

"Can't?" replied the doctor; "why, sir, I learned to decline it when a boy. Hic, haec, hoc."

The table was in a roar, and the doctor came off triumphantly. Let all boys when young decline hoc; if they do they will never know the drunkard's hic.

☞ Beauty is not made by white and red, by black eyes and a round face, by a straight body and a smooth skin, but by a proportion to the fancy.—*Jeremy Taylor.*

☞ The Duke de Duras, observing Descartes seated one day at a luxurious table, cried out—"What! do philosophers indulge in dainties?" "Why not?" replied Descartes; "do you think that nature produced all her good things for fools?"

☞ "Did you see 'Ary Schaffer?" inquired an artist of a traveller who had just returned from Paris. "Nary Schaffer was the reply.

☞ A darkey's instructions for putting on a coat, were—"Fust de right arm, den de lef, and den gib one general conwulshun."

☞ Justice consists in doing men no injury; decency in giving them no offense; politeness, in making all our acts agreeable; philanthropy, in doing good in an agreeable, decent, and just manner.

☞ That was a fearful jest of Lord Norbury's, on sentencing to death a thief, who had stolen a watch—

"You made a grab at time, my lad, but, egad, you clitched eternity.

☞ There is generally thought to be a great deal more pleasure in bringing on the gout than in bearing it.

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☞ "All History," says Emerson, easily resolves itsself into the biography of a few stout and earnest persons."

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Cartis & Harvey's Sporting Gunpowder in 25 lb cs
235 Mats Turk's Island Salt;
550 bags California Barley;
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Sash Doors 2 ft 8 in. by 6 ft 8 in., and 1¾ in. thick.

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